

PATENT



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Docket No.: 22333-010-401

Confirmation No.: 6488

Group Art Unit: 3753

Examiner: George L. Walton

Filed: September 21, 2001 SPILL CONTAINMENT SYSTEM AND

METHOD

Serial No.: 09/960,759

In re Patent Application of:

Douglas FRAZIER

UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.97(i)

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

For:

Pursuant to the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56, 1.97 and 1.98, Applicant hereby makes of record in the above-identified application the document listed on the attached Form PTO-1449.

Applicant reserves the right to establish the patentability of the claimed invention over any of the information provided herewith, and/or to prove that this information may not be prior art, and/or to prove that this information may not be enabling for the teachings purportedly offered.

This Information Disclosure Statement is being filed more than three months after the U.S. filing date, and after the mailing date of a Notice of Allowance, but before payment of the Issue Fee.

Serial No. 09/960,759 Docket No.: 22333-010-401

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(i), it is respectfully requested that this Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement be placed in the file.

Respectfully submitted,

MINTZ, LEVIN, COHN, FERRIS, GLOVSKY and POPEO, P.C.

Rick A. Toering

Registration No.: 43,195

12010 Sunset Hills Road, Suite 900

Reston, Virginia 20190

Telephone: (703) 464-4806 Telefax: (703) 464-4895

Attorney for Applicant

Dated: September 24, 2002



PATENTS

Attorney Docket No.: 22333-010-401

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANT:

Douglas FRAZIER

Examiner:

George L. Walton

SERIAL NUMBER:

09/960,759

ART UNIT:

3753

FILING DATE:

September 21, 2001

Assistant Commissioner for Patents

Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

FOR: SPILL CONTAINMENT C.

t Commissioner for Patents
ston, D.C. 20231

TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Transmitted herewith for filing in the present application are the following documents:

CENTER 3700

Total Information Disclosure Statement Under 37 C.F.R. §1.97(i);

If the enclosed papers are considered incomplete, the Mail Room is respectfully requested to contact the undersigned at (703) 464-4800.

DATE: September 24, 2002

Respectfully submitted,

Rick A. Toering

Registration No. 43,195

Mintz, Levin, Cohn, Ferris,

Glovsky and Popeo, P.C. 12010 Sunset Hills Rd., Suite 900

Reston, Virginia 20190-5839

(703) 464-4800

RES 77278v1

07,02